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SUBJ: VISIT OF MINISTER UGARTE

REF: 76 ASUNCION 2382

1. IN MEETING TODAY WITH AMBASSADOR AND JAMES BLOW OF USDOC, MINISTER UGARTE SAID HE PLANNED LEAVE AIDE MEMOIRE WITH ACTING SECRETARY HARMAN, REQUESTING ASSISTANCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE. MINISTER WOULD LIKE TWO OR THREE COMMERCE SPECIALISTS TO CONDUCT A SEMINAR FOR PARAGUAYAN BUSINESSMEN ON THE U.S. SYSTEM OF GENERALIZED SPECIAL PREFERENCES. SEMINAR WOULD BE HELD IN ASUNCION UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY. NO DATE WAS MENTIONED.

2. IN MAY 1976, UNCTAD SPONSORED A SEMINAR IN ASUNCION ON THE VARIOUS SYSTEMS OF SPECIAL PREFERENCES (SEE REFTEL). ALTHOUGH MANY PARAGUAYAN OFFICIALS ATTENDED THE SEMINAR, PRIVATE SECTOR TURNOUT WAS DISAPPOINTING. EMBASSY RECOMMENDED AT TIME THAT USG RECOMMEND AND/OR SUPPORT A REPETITION OF THE UNCTAD SEMINAR IN APPROXIMATELY ONE
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YEAR'S TIME. MINISTER'S REQUEST BEARS OUT EMBASSY VIEW THAT THERE IS NOW GREATER AWARENESS AT ALL LEVELS OF THE POSSIBLE ADVANTAGES OF GSP.

3. IN EMBASSY VIEW, A SEMINAR ON U.S. SYSTEM WITH USDOC PARTICIPATION WOULD BE EXTREMELY USEFUL. IF THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE, WE HOPE USG CAN AS A MINIMUM PUSH FOR A

SECOND UNCTAD SEMINAR.
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